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Working a Workpiece,  
Thermal Working Machine  
Therefor, and Cutting or  
Welding Tool Suited for Use  
in the Working Machine

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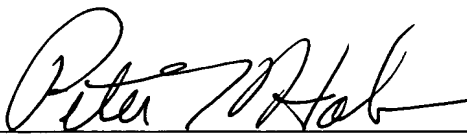
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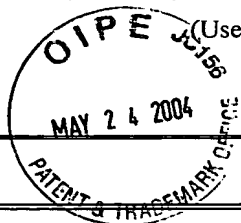
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